

Education Committee

Schedule for the 2025/2026 academic year for instructors

Budapest, 25. February 2025.

1. Schedule for the 2025/2026 academic year

2025/2026. Academic year start and finish dates	
First day of the Fall semester 2025/2026	01/09/2025
Last day of the Fall semester 2025/2026	01/02/2026
First day of the Spring semester 2025/2026	09/02/2026
Last day of the Spring semester 2025/2026	28/06/2026

Schedule for the 2025/2026 academic year		
Academic year 2025/2026, Fall semester		
Registration period	01/09/2025-21/09/2025	3 weeks
Study period	08/09/2025-14/12/2025	14 weeks
Examination period	15/12/2025-25/01/2026	4 weeks
Final examination period*	19/01/2026-01/02/2026	2 weeks
Academic year 2025/2026, Spring semester		
Registration period	09/02/2026-22/02/2026	2 weeks
Study period	16/02/2026-24/05/2026	14 weeks
Examination period	25/05/2026-21/06/2026	4 weeks
Final examination period*	15/06/2026-28/06/2026	2 weeks

Detailed academic year schedule		
Academic year 2025/2026, Fall semester		
Registration period*	01/09/2025-21/09/2025	3 weeks
Academic weeks	15/09/2025-22/10/2025	6 weeks
Autumn break	27/10/2025-31/10/2025	1 week
Academic weeks	03/11/2025-14/12/2025	6 weeks
Final examination period I.	01/12/2025-05/12/2025	1 week
Examination period	15/12/2025-20/12/2025	1 week
University closed	21/12/2025-04/01/2026	2 weeks
Examination period	05/01/2026-24/01/2026	3 weeks
Final examination period II.	19/01/2026-30/01/2026	2 weeks
Academic year 2025/2026, Spring semester		
Registration period*	09/02/2026-22/02/2026	2 weeks
Academic weeks	16/02/2026-28/03/2026	6 weeks
Intensive week	30/03/2026-02/04/2026	1 week
Spring break	07/04/2026-11/04/2026	1 week
Academic weeks	13/04/2026-23/05/2026	6 weeks
Examination period	26/05/2026-20/06/2026	4 weeks
Final examination period	15/06/2026-24/06/2026	2 weeks
Summer break	29/06/2026-	

Postgraduate specialist training course academic year schedule		
Academic year 2025/2026, Fall semester		
Registration period for enrolments*	01/09/2025-05/10/2025	5 weeks
Registration period for registrants*	01/09/2025-21/09/2025	3 weeks
Study period	08/09/2025-20/12/2025	15 weeks
Examination period	15/12/2025-20/12/2025	1 week
University closed	21/12/2025-04/01/2026	3 weeks
Study period	05/01/2026-24/01/2026	3 weeks
Examination period	05/01/2026-24/01/2026	3 weeks
Final examination period	19/01/2026-30/01/2026	2 weeks
Academic year 2025/2026, Spring semester		
Registration period for enrolments*	09/02/2026-08/03/2026	4 weeks
Registration period for registrants*	09/02/2026-22/02/2026	2 weeks
Study period	16/02/2026-20/06/2026	18 weeks
Examination period	26/05/2026-20/06/2026	4 weeks
Final examination period	15/06/2026-24/06/2026	2 weeks
Summer break	29/06/2026-	

Preparatory course academic year schedule		
Academic year 2025/2026, Fall semester		
Registration period for enrolments*	01/09/2025-05/10/2025	5 weeks
Registration period for registrants*	01/09/2025-21/09/2025	3 weeks
Intensive week	08/09/2025-12/09/2025	1 week
Academic weeks	15/09/2025-22/10/2025	6 weeks
Autumn break	27/10/2025-31/10/2025	1 week
Academic weeks	03/11/2025-14/12/2025	6 weeks
Examination period	15/12/2025-20/12/2025	1 week
University closed	21/12/2025-04/01/2026	2 weeks
Examination period	05/01/2026-24/01/2026	3 weeks
Academic year 2025/2026, Spring semester		
Registration period for enrolments*	09/02/2026-08/03/2026	4 weeks
Registration period for registrants*	09/02/2026-22/02/2026	2 weeks
Academic weeks	16/02/2026-28/03/2026	6 weeks
Intensive week	30/03/2026-02/04/2026	1 week
Spring break	07/04/2026-11/04/2026	1 week
Academic weeks	13/04/2026-23/05/2026	6 weeks
Examination period	26/05/2026-20/06/2026	4 weeks
Summer break	29/06/2026-	

* The registration period includes the enrollment period, the registration period and the subject registration period. The exact timing of these is set out in the detailed timetable for the academic year in the section on academic administration.

Public holidays and transferred working days	
23/October/2025 (Thursday)	national holiday
1/November/2025 (Saturday)	All Saints' Day
25-26/December/2025 (Thursday-Friday)	Christmas
1/January/2026 (Thursday)	Új Év
15/March/2026 (Sunday)	national holiday
3/April/2026 (Friday)	Good Friday
5-6/April/ 2026 (Sunday-Monday)	Easter
1/May/2026 (Friday)	Labour Day
14-25/May/2026 (Sunday-Monday)	Pentecost

University will be closed due to national holidays (no teaching)	
23-26/October/2025 (Thursday-Sunday)	national holiday
1-2/November/2025 (Saturday-Sunday)	All Saints' Day
21/December/2025-04/January/2026 (15 days)	Christmas and New Year - Winter break
15/March/2026 (Sunday)	national holiday
3-6/April/ 2026 (Friday-Monday)	Good Friday and Easter
1-3/May/2026 (Friday-Sunday)	Labour Day
24-25/May/2026 (Sunday-Monday)	Pentecost
23-26/October/2025 (Thursday-Sunday)	national holiday
1-2/November/2025 (Saturday-Sunday)	All Saints' Day

Graduation ceremony	
16-20/March/2026	
13-17/July/2026	

2. Detailed schedule of the academic year related to study administration.

Academic year 2025/2026 Fall semester

	ACTIVITY	Start	Day	Hour	Finish	Day	Hour
1	The opening of the academic year	01-07.09.2025					
2	Thesis topic announcement (preparation of topic selection) 2025/2026/1 semester 1.	01.06.2025	Monday		26.06.2025	Friday	
3	Enrolment, semester registration for bachelor's, master's and doctoral students and visiting students (admitted for the semester 2025/2026/1), according to the specific schedule given in the semester opening information. (prepared by: SAS, for doctoral courses: UDO) (Study Abroad, Free mover, CEMS, Erasmus visiting students) Also, for foreign students (Stipendium Hungaricum, Diaspora, etc.).	01.09.2025	Monday		12.09.2025	Friday	12:00
4	Enrolment for students of preparatory training, specialist postgraduate programmes (admitted students for semester 2025/2026/1), according to the specified date given in the semester start information (prepared by: SAS).	01.09.2025	Monday		03.10.2025	Friday	12:00
5	Semester registration for students and visiting students from the second semester of the student's studies, for the semester 2025/2026/1, according to the specific schedule given in the semester start information. (prepared by: SAS, for doctoral courses: UDO)	01.09.2025	Monday		12.09.2025	Friday	
6	Final subject admission period (subject registration and drop) for students and visiting students for the semester 2025/2026/1, based on the semester start information. (prepared by: SAS, for doctoral courses: UDO) (Study Abroad, Free mover, Erasmus). (except for students in enrolment in specialist postgraduate programmes and preparatory course)	01.09.2025	Monday		07.09.2025	Sunday	23:59
7	Final subject registration period for courses that include project week subjects, based on the semester start information (prepared by: SAS).	01.09.2025	Monday		04.09.2025	Thursday	23:59
8	Thesis topic selection 2025/2026/1 semester 1. (based on a separate prospectus)	01.09.2025	Monday		27.09.2025	Sunday	
9	Intensive (project) week	08.09.2025	Monday		12.09.2025	Friday	
10	Final subject admission period for students enrolling in specialist postgraduate programmes and preparatory programs (subject registration and drop) for the 2025/2026/1 semester, based on the semester start information. (prepared by: SAS)	01.09.2025	Monday		03.10.2025	Friday	23:59
11	Final subject admission period, (only registration), for all students, visiting students, in all year levels, and all programs, for the 2025/2026/1 semester, based on the semester start information (prepared by: SAS). (except for students in enrolment in specialist postgraduate programmes and preparatory course and except for student's doctoral programs)	15.09.2025	Monday		21.09.2025	Sunday	23:59
12	Instructor's offered grade registration period 2025/2026/1 semester	08.09.2025	Monday		2025.12.13	Saturday	
13	Instructors' practice practical grade entry period 2025/2026/1 semester (except for specialised courses)	08.09.2025	Monday		05.01.2026	Monday	

	ACTIVITY	Start	Day	Hour	Finish	Day	Hour
14	Student offered grade acceptance period 2025/2026/1 semester	08.09.2025	Monday		11.01.2026	Sunday	
15	Instructor's grade registration period 2025/2026/1 semester	08.09.2025	Monday		28.01.2026	Wednesday	
16	Fall break (full-time programs)	27.10.2025	Monday		31.10.2025	Friday	
17	Submission of thesis, 2025/2026/1 semester – for bachelor students of programs where the December final exam is offered.	27.10.2025	Monday	10:00	07.11.2025	Friday	12:00
18	Application for final examination where the December final examination is provided, 2025/2026/1 semester. (only bachelor students)	27.10.2025	Monday	10:00	14.11.2025	Friday	12:00
19	Thesis topic announcement (preparation of topic selection) 2025/2026/1 semester 2.	10.11.2025	Monday		23.11.2025	Friday	
20	Lectures on the choice of specialisation	10.11.2025	Monday		05.12.2026	Friday	
21	Instructors' examination notice semester	10.11.2025	Monday		22.01.2026	Thursday	
22	Submission of the thesis 2025/2026/1 semester	24.11.2025	Monday	10:00	05.12.2025	Friday	12:00
23	Application for the final examination 2025/2026/1 semester	24.11.2025	Monday	10:00	12.12.2025	Friday	12:00
24	Thesis topic selection 2025/2026/1 semester 2. (based on a separate prospectus)	24.11.2025	Monday		14.12.2025	Sunday	
25	Registration for fall semester exams for all students who are taking the final examination.	24.11.2025	Monday		09.01.2026	Friday	
26	Registration for fall semester exams for all students who are not taking the final examination	24.11.2025	Monday		23.01.2026	Friday	
27	Spring semester preliminary subject registration for the students of Study Abroad and Free mover program for the semester 2025/2026/2.	03.12.2025	Wednesday	12:00	05.12.2025	Friday	23:59
28	Final examination period, fall semester December period	01.12.2025	Monday		05.12.2025	Friday	
29	Spring semester preliminary subject registration for visiting students (Erasmus, exchange students etc. CEMS) for the semester 2025/2026/2.	08.12.2025	Monday	10:00	10.12.2025	Wednesday	23:59
30	Specialisation selection period	08.12.2025	Monday		12.12.2025	Friday	
31	1st week of the examination period	15.12.2025	Monday		20.12.2025	Saturday	
32	University Closed	21.12.2025	Sunday		04.01.2026	Sunday	
33	Examination period 2nd week for students taking the final examination	05.01.2026	Monday		10.01.2026	Saturday	
34	Examination period 2-4 weeks for students not taking the final examination	05.01.2026	Monday		24.01.2026	Saturday	
35	Spring semester preliminary subject registration for all programs for the semester 2025/2026/2, based on the semester start information (prepared by: SAS).	12.01.2026	Monday		16.01.2026	Friday	
36	Administrative week in preparation for the final examinations	12.01.2026	Monday		16.01.2026	Friday	
37	Final examination period, 2025/2026/1 fall semester January period	19.01.2026	Monday		30.01.2026	Friday	

Academic year 2025/2026 Spring semester

	ACTIVITY	Start	Day	Hour	Finish	Day	Hour
1	Thesis topic announcement (preparation of topic selection) for 2025/2026/2 semester 1.	05.01.2026	Monday		23.01.2026	Friday	
2	Semester registration for students and visiting students from the second semester of the student status for the semester 2025/2026/2, according to the specific schedule given in the semester information (prepared by: SAS, for doctoral studies: UDO)	09.02.2026	Monday		20.02.2026	Friday	
3	Enrolment, semester registration for bachelor's, master's and doctoral students and visiting students (admitted for the semester 2025/2026/1) according to the specific schedule given in the semester opening	09.02.2026	Monday		20.02.2026	Friday	12:00

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information. (prepared by: SAS, for doctoral courses: UDO) (Study Abroad, Free mover, CEMS, Erasmus visiting students)						
4 Enrolment for students of preparatory training, specialist postgraduate programmes, (admitted students for semester 2025/2026/2) according to the specified date given in the semester start information (prepared by: SAS).	09.02.2026	Monday		06.03.2026	Friday	12:00
5 Final subject admission period (subject registration and drop) for students and visiting students for the semester 2025/2026/2 based on the semester start information. (prepared by: SAS, for doctoral courses: UDO) (Study Abroad, Free mover, Erasmus). (except for students in enrolment in specialist postgraduate programmes and preparatory course)	09.02.2026	Monday		15.02.2026	Sunday	23:59
6 Final subject admission period for students enrolling in specialist postgraduate programmes and preparatory programs (subject registration and drop) for the 2025/2026/2 semester, based on the semester start information. (prepared by: SAS)	09.02.2026	Monday		06.03.2026	Friday	23:59
7 Thesis topic selection 2025/2026/2 semester 1. (based on a separate prospectus)	09.02.2026	Monday		08.03.2026	Sunday	
8 Final subject admission period, (only registration), for all students, visiting students, in all year levels, and all programs, for the 2025/2026/2 semester, based on the semester start information (prepared by: SAS). (except for students in enrolment in specialist postgraduate programmes and preparatory course and except for student's doctoral programs)	19.02.2026	Thursday		22.02.2026	Sunday	23:59
9 Instructor's offered grade registration period 2025/2026/2 semester	16.02.2026	Monday		2026.05.23	Saturday	
10 Instructors' practice practical grade registration period 2025/2026/2 (except for specialised courses)	16.02.2026	Monday		01.06.2026	Monday	
11 Student offered grade acceptance period 2025/2026/2 semester	16.02.2026	Monday		07.06.2026	Sunday	
12 Instructor's grade registration period 2025/2026/2 semester	16.02.2026	Monday		24.06.2026	Wednesday	
13 Graduation ceremony	16.03.2026	Monday		20.03.2026	Friday	
14 Intensive (project) week	30.03.2026	Monday		02.05.2026	Thursday	
15 Spring break (full-time semester courses)	07.04.2026	Tuesday		10.04.2026	Friday	
16 Thesis topic announcement (preparation of topic selection) 2025/2026/2 semester 2.	20.04.2026	Monday		08.05.2026	Friday	
17 Lectures on the choice of specialisation	27.04.2026	Monday		15.05.2026	Friday	
18 Instructors' examination notice (semester)	20.04.2026	Monday		18.06.2026	Thursday	
19 Submission of the thesis, 2025/2026/2 semester	04.05.2026	Monday	10:00	15.05.2026	Friday	12:00
20 Application for the final examination 2025/2026/2 semester	04.05.2026	Monday	10:00	22.05.2026	Friday	12:00
21 Thesis topic selection 2025/2026/2 semester 2. (based on a separate prospectus)	11.05.2026	Monday		31.05.2026	Sunday	
22 Registration for spring semester exams for all students who are taking the final exam.	04.05.2026	Monday		05.06.2026	Friday	
23 Registration for spring semester exams for all students who are not taking the final examination.	04.05.2026	Monday		19.06.2026	Friday	
24 Preliminary subject registration for the Fall semester for visiting students – SA program, Free Mover, CEMS students for the 2026/2027/1 semester	26.05.2026	Tuesday	12:00	28.05.2026	Thursday	23:59
25 Specialisation selection period	18.05.2026	Monday		22.05.2026	Friday	
26 Fall semester preliminary subject registration for visiting students (Erasmus, exchange students etc.) for the semester 2026/2027/1.	01.06.2026	Monday	10:00	03.06.2026	Wednesday	23:59

	ACTIVITY	Start	Day	Hour	Finish	Day	Hour
27	Examination period, 1st-2nd weeks for students taking the final examination	26.05.2026	Tuesday		06.06.2026	Saturday	
28	Examination period, 1st-4th weeks for students not taking the final examination	26.05.2026	Tuesday		20.06.2026	Saturday	
29	Administrative week in preparation for the final examination	08.06.2026	Tuesday		12.06.2026	Friday	
30	Final examination period, 2025/2026/2 spring semester	15.06.2026	Monday		24.06.2026	Wednesday	
31	Preliminary course registration for the Fall semester for all program students for the 2026/2027/1 semester, based on the semester start information. (Prepared by: SAS)	29.06.2026	Monday		03.07.2026	Friday	
32	Graduation ceremony	13.07.2026	Monday		17.07.2026	Friday	

abbreviation:

Study Administration Services: SAS

University Doctoral Office: UDO